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The Oregon Advisory Committee to the U.S. Commission on Civil Rights

Portland Community Forum:

Tuesday, May 1, 2018
Portland Community College
Sylvania Campus
CC Building
Room 233 A and B
12000 SW 49th Avenue
Portland, OR 97280

Woodburn Community Forum:

Wednesday, May 2, 2018
Chemeketa Woodburn Center
Room 110AB
120 E. Lincoln Street
Woodburn, OR 97071

Time (both fora):

2:00 p.m. —5:00 p.m.

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Community Forums: Human Trafficking in Oregon

The Oregon Advisory Committee to the U. S. Commission on Civil Rights is hosting two public meetings—May 1 and May 2—to hear testimony regarding civil rights concerns of human and labor trafficking in the sex, agriculture, and forestry industries and equal protection violations and discrimination based upon the race, national origin, religion, sex, disability, and age of the survivors. Additionally, the Committee will examine the effectiveness of state and local agency programs administered to survivors of human trafficking.

In addition to hearing from a panel of experts, the Committee welcomes members of the public to share their experiences, opinions, concerns, and/or solutions regarding human trafficking in the state on May 1, 2018 in Portland, and May 2, 2018 in Woodburn.

Speakers at the Portland community forum include:

- Senator Kathleen Taylor, District 21
- Chanpone Sinlapasai, Attorney, Marandas Sinlapasai
- Natalie Weaver, Multnomah County, Department of Community Justice
- Desireé Coyote, Confederated Tribes of Umatilla Indian Reservation
- Robin Miller, Janus Youth Programs
- Cristin Casey, Bureau of Labor and Industries

Speakers at the Woodburn community forum include:

- Reyna Lopez, Executive Director, Pineros y Campesinos Unidos del Noroeste
- Carl Wilmsen, Executive Director, Northwest Forest Worker Center
- Joel Iboa, Chair, Governor's Environmental Justice Task Force

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